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THE RIGHT RING.

Crisp Makes a Great Speech
at Atlanta.

The Speaker Says the United
States Government

Can and Ought to Establish at
Once the Free Coinage.

Atlanta, Nov. 13.—Ex-Speaker Charles F. Crisp spoke before a joint session of the senate and house of the Georgia legislature to-night. He had been invited to address the legislature on the political issues of the day, but confined himself almost exclusively to the silver question, coming out emphatically for the free coinage of both gold and silver at the present rate, and arguing that the United States with her 70,000,000 of people were sufficiently powerful to establish bimetallicism the world over.

His speech was received with the greatest enthusiasm. Mr. Crisp began by stating that of course it was understood he spoke as a Democrat. The Democratic party was born with the government. It stands for certain principles, local self government, economy in public affairs, equal rights to all and special privileges to none, for a low tariff, "and in my judgment," he said, "it has always stood for bimetallicism and upon that subject I intend to speak. Anything short of the equality of the two metals at the mint is not bimetallicism."

Mr. Crisp then went into the history of the coinage laws. In 1873, he said, when silver was demonetized, the bullion value of the silver dollar was 3 cents more than the bullion value of a gold dollar. The law of 1873 was passed without the full knowledge of the people or their representatives. He quoted from Thurman, Allison, Garfield, Blaine, Locke and others to show that it was not known at the time that the bill demonetized silver.

He followed this with an announcement that from that day to this the majority of the Democratic party had been working to rehabilitate silver. The single gold standard was a Republican measure. He analyzed every vote on the silver question taken in congress since 1873 to show that a great majority of Democrats had voted every time for the free coinage of silver, except in 1893 when the proposition to repeal the Sherman law was up, and at that time it was because they expected to have an opportunity to vote subsequently for a such measure. And even then there was but two Democratic majority.

The single gold standard had never met with the approval of the majority of Democrats of this country. He said there was no advantage in having silver as a money, unless it stood upon its feet. He stated that he did not intend to say that a man who favored the single gold was not a Democrat, but he did mean to say that the vast majority of the Democratic party had always been in favor of the bimetallic standard.

Mr. Crisp exhibited a small piece of silver bullion which he expected could not be used as money in any way. It could not be used with which to purchase commodities, but if there was a law allowing it to be taken to a mint and coined then everybody would want it. He agreed that the value of a silver dollar should be a dollar. The way to establish the commercial value of silver was to restore it by legislation to a money status—to rehabilitate it. Coin it at the rate of 16 to 1. That would re-establish its commercial value. (Great Applause.)

He illustrated by showing that when the senate passed a free coinage bill seven years ago, the bullion value of silver rose 23 cents an ounce in 10 days in the London market.

"You need not be apprehensive of any flood of silver," he announced. There was no country in the world that would ship its silver here to exchange it for gold. We had gained gold under the oppressions of the Bland-Allison law, and under the Sherman law. He believed that the United States was sufficiently powerful to establish a ratio between gold and silver. Gold, he held, was too

valuable. He claimed gold had appreciated and argued his claim by comparing its purchasing power in commodities now and before the demonetization of silver.

"Our people should be the pioneers in restoring a money metal which has been used for all time, but recently stricken down."

"The stamp upon a silver dollar does not make it more valuable in another country, but the right of silver to be so stamped increases its bullion value."

In speaking of the value of cotton he said that though the cotton crop appreciated 50 per cent in the decade before the war the price increased 40 per cent. Though the crop increased up to 1873, the price also increased, but after 1873 the price of cotton depreciated because of the depreciating value of gold. He then read from the November report of the treasury to show that there was \$75,000,000 less money in circulation now than one year ago.

All things being equal, the price of commodities is regulated by the amount of money in the world. He argued against paper money because legislative bodies might be tempted at times to flate the currency.

In speaking of the final result of the fight for free silver he said that he remembered when 40 Democrats had stood up in congress and voted against tariff reform. By their aid the Republicans had stricken out the enacting clause of the Morrison bill. But the Democratic party had been persistent in the fight, and had finally won. They have not gotten all they wanted, but the tariff laws now were infinitely superior to the laws of a few years ago.

Under the present financial system wages and labor have gone down. The Republican experiment of a single gold standard had not worked to the benefit of the people of this section.

Let us return to the bimetallicism of the Democratic fathers. Look around you and you will find in our poverty a monument of the single gold standard."

In speaking of the next Democratic national convention, he said Georgia should define herself on this financial question. One of the questions to be decided was the retirement of the \$500,000,000 of paper money. If the single gold standard is to be perpetuated, that money must be retired.

In the Democratic convention he believed that the views of those people who elected a president should dictate the platform. He vigorously opposed the bond policy of the administration. He believed the treasury should have paid out the silver when the gold run was made upon it. That would have stopped the raid.

England dictated the gold policy. The United States had the power to change it now—to establish bimetallicism throughout the world. "If the United States would go forward in financial legislation as it had gone forward in its fight for liberty 100 years ago, it would render to mankind at a large a greater blessing than was rendered when she taught them that a people could govern themselves."

DYING OF STARVATION.

Armenians Confronted With a
Foe Worse Than the
Turk.

London, Nov. 18.—The following telegram from Constantinople was received this morning by the Anglo-Armenian Association:

"The Armenians are being massacred everywhere in Asia Minor. Over 100,000 are dying of starvation and exposure. The Sassoon work of relief is closed."

"For God's sake, urge the Government to stop the most awful events of modern times. The Porte is powerless, as all telegraphs are under the control of the palace officials, who have incited the massacre throughout Anatolia."

A dispatch received here from Rome to-day says that advices which have reached there from Constantinople announced that the agitation against the Christians of Northern Syria is extending and that massacres have occurred near Aleppo.

It is understood in well-informed circles here to day that the assembling of the British and foreign fleets in Salonica Bay is having a good effect upon the Turkish Government and that the Sultan has finally determined to make earnest efforts to put a stop to the bloodshed in Asia Minor.

LONESOME.

Democrats in the New House of
Representative Few and
Far Between.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The Democrats will be in a sorry plight in the next House, which will meet to-morrow two weeks. They have only 105 members out of 356, and eighty-three of these are from the south. Nearly all the old Democratic members were swept away by the tidal wave of 1894, and in the next House there will not be more than a dozen Democrats with capacity and experience to represent Democratic principles and to answer attacks from the republican side. So far as the Administration of Cleveland side of the House is concerned, it is helpless of support as a small, frail craft at sea without a rudder or compass. Of the 105 Democratic members there are not thirty who are in harmony with the Administration on the currency question. There are only two prominent members on the Democratic side that the Courier-Journal correspondent can not recall to mind who are in such full accord with Cleveland and Carlisle that they can fully reflect their views on important questions that will arise, and these two are Mr. Josiah Patterson, of Tennessee, and Mr. John K. Cowen, of Maryland. While both are able men, they are not strong men on the floor, as they lack force and eloquence to make their presentation of a question clear and effective.

There are a few other old members who will go with the Administration, but not to the "whole hog" extent of Patterson and Cowen. Foremost among these are Messrs. McCreary, Hendrick and Berry, of Kentucky. If Mr. Owens is seated he will have a great opportunity to develop, come to the front and distinguish himself. In Tennessee Mr. Joe E. Washington will also support the Administration, as will most of the Louisiana delegation. The six Democrats from New York, led by Mr. Amos J. Cummings and young George B. McClellan, will also be found on the Administration side. Mr. St. George Tucker, of Virginia, and Paul J. Borg, of Ohio, Cobb and Tarnsey, of Nevada are also expected to render substantial aid to the Administration forces. These are about all who can be depended upon to stand loyally by the Executive Department.

The free silver Democratic side of the House will have able and alert representation. Mr. Crisp will be the recognized leader of that policy and the minority leader on all questions but those pertaining to the currency. He will have around him on the money question old members like Sayers, Culberson, Bailey, Crair, Abbott, McMillin, Cox, Richardson, Dockery, Catching, Allen, Money, Hall, De Armond, Livingston, Black, Turner, Lester, Cooper and McKee. Out of the 105 Democrats who were saved from the wreck of '94, ninety were members of the last Congress. Of these ninety two-thirds are for free silver, and against the Administration.

With hardly an exception the old Republican members and leaders of the House have been returned and, led by Reed, they will ride rough shod over the dismounted and warring fragment left of the Democratic party in the House of Representatives.

WILL CONTEST.

Dempsey Has a Majority, But
Porter Will Contest.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 16.—With McLean county in the vote of the First Railroad Commissioner's district complete is as follows:

Dempsey	48,316
Porter	48,249

Dempsey's majority 67
Clinton, Ky., Nov. 16.—In First Railroad district in the race of Porter, (rep.), and Dempsey, (dem.), in Muhlenburg county it is claimed by Porter's friends that the statement of County Court Clerk shows that in one precinct which gives Porter 208 and Dempsey 77 by error of election officers was not in returns, and in another precinct 93 Porter votes were returned "H. S. Erwin," which gives Porter 124 votes in Muhlenburg county, which they claim he is entitled to, not in the returns.

These errors corrected will give Porter a majority in the district of about 159 votes.

Porter has employed attorneys and the returning board was notified of the situation. The board held that it was compelled to issue the certificate to Dempsey, as the returns sent in gave him a majority. The contest will be taken to the courts.

THE COMPLETE COUNT.

All The Counties Have Reported
And Here Are The
Figures.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 16.—The official vote was finally computed to-day and the race for Governor was as follows:

Hardin, 163,524; Bradley, 172,436; Pettit, 16,911; Demaree, 4,186; Bradley's plurality, 8,912.

Lieutenant Governor—Tyler, 156,045; Worthington, 164,990; Blair, 15,957; Hughes, 3,872.

CARROLL RESIGNS.

An Opportunity To Untie the
Gordian Knot.

Hon. A. J. Carroll who was elected to the legislature from a Louisville district, has resigned, and the Governor has ordered a special election for Dec. 7, to elect his successor. Carroll is a Democrat; just before the recent election his successor withdrew and left home, and it has been charged that Carroll had something to do with that withdrawal. This charge caused him to resign, and run again. If the Republicans can carry the district this time, it will give them one majority on joint ballot, and the United States Senator.

AWFUL PLUNGE.

Street Car and Passengers Drop
Over a Hundred Feet Into
a River.

Cleveland O., Nov. 16.—A frightful accident occurred this evening, resulting in the death of thirteen people. A bridge 120 feet above the river spans the valley in which runs the Cuyahoga river. This bridge connects one street with another, and the electric street car line crosses the bridge. There is also a draw in the bridge, to permit boats to pass up and down the river. This evening the draw was up to let a boat pass, and the gates were up and danger signals out, but an electric street car, containing fifteen passengers, rushed through the gates and with terrific speed was hurled down the 120 feet.

Those who witnessed the accident say that they heard one agonizing chorus of screams and in an instant all was as quiet as death. The car struck upon a projection of piles in the abutment beneath the draw, then turning and breaking into pieces, it leaped into the dark river below, breaking the tow line between the tug and schooner that was passing beneath the draw. A moment after the car struck the river a few suppressed groans were heard by the men who happened to be on the docks below and then all was over. Men from the bridge above and from the docks yelled to the men on the tug to pick up the people, but 13 lives were sacrificed, only two passengers, one man and one woman, being taken out alive.

Carelessness on the part of the conductor and motorman of the car caused the accident.

Boring For Oil.

Rumor says that without a doubt oil will be found on E. L. Moor's farm. There is no man whose efforts we would rather see crowned with success than Mr. Moor's for he has met with many difficulties, and gone to a great expense in his efforts to obtain oil, and we earnestly hope that he will be rewarded by an abundant flow of oil. The well is now 240 feet deep.—Grand Rivers Letter in Smithland Banner.

When They Go In.

Some ill advised writer on the subject continue to mix up the minds of the people as to the time when the changes of State officials take place. The new Governor and Railroad Commissioners go in office December 10. The Secretary of the State, the Auditor, Attorney-General, Treasurer, Register, Superintendent of Public Instruction and Commissioner of Agriculture all go into office on the first Monday in January, or January 7, and all present officers hold on till that time.—Frankfort Capital.

When you have a "touch of liver" don't take one of the ordinary liver pills, of which there are a dozen kinds in every drug store, but ask your druggist, especially for Ramon's Tonic Liver Pills (and Pellets). He will give you two medicines, one of which cleans out the system and removes all the secreted bile, while the other purifies the blood, restores strength, builds up the appetite and makes you feel like a new person. Only 25 cents for both.—Sample sent free.

CHAT'S PERIL.

A Story of Panther Hollow.

Written for the Press by Robert C. Haynes, Author of "Fent's Christmas," Etc.

[CHAPTER XXI CONTINUED.]

"Now Bob was 'smitten,' as they say; 'Twas told me too by Corry— She got it from Birdie, I think— That they were soon to marry."

"Boys, Bob met with a mishap— Which which this world is rife— Which blew all romance out of him. I think, perhaps for life."

One day—a pleasant afternoon— Bob took along with him To see this girl, a neighbor boy— I think his name was Jim."

"While on the road a cyclone came, With wind, and rain, and fog, And Bob and Jim sought refuge in A large old hollow log."

"Gee-whillikens! boys, how it blew! 'Twas like a demon's reign! Great oaks were hurled up from their beds, Or rent, like straws, in twain!"

"Bob stuck his head out of the log; Jim held him by the shoe— It soon came off, and out Bob went, In rapid motion, too!"

The storm raged wildly—Bob went up, As though he'd been a feather! Great trees, and stumps, and logs, and Bob Went whirling up together!"

And then the storm was passed and gone; Bob could nowhere be found, Although no stone was left unturned, In all the country round."

"Annie came one day to my house— The tears rolled down her face— And begged that I would shadow Bob, Would take charge of the case."

"I told her I would do my best; There was not any clue, Except to get possession of— Which I would try—his shoe."

"But Jim had given that to her; 'Twas (Robert's) Sunday shoe— She used it for a writing desk— And prized it highly too!"

But Sam was interrupted here; "What's that?" said Johnny Dee, "That Fent's cur dog has in his mouth? Looks like a shoe to me."

The dog came up, wagging his tail— Just like all dogs will do— And proudly carried in his mouth A patent leather shoe."

"That's what it is, and no mistake!" Cried Fent; "Get down a shoe—do! I can't—I'm leading Driver's mule— I believe 'tis poor Chat's shoe!"

CHAPTER XXII.

Fate, bounding quickly from his male, Said, picking up the shoe, 'Tis Chat's shoe, boys, a number ten, And patent leather too."

"What marks are those upon the shoe?" Continued he, "Look here! Boys, these are prints of wolf teeth and ears."

"We're done with Chat, I fear." "That's just the kind of shoe he wore I helped to put them on," Said Fent, "he wore a number ten— The same as you do, John."

"The outlook's rather gloomy, boys," Said Johnny Dee, "Poor Chat! I fear he's met an awful death!" A sad, sad thought is that!

"A splendid fellow too, was Chat; In all the country round, A better boy never walked on legs— One simply can't be found."

"Twere better he'd never seen a girl," Said Fent; "Get down a shoe—do! Far better being a bachelor, Than meet a fate like that!"

"The confound the girls!" continued Fate; "They cause us our woes to double! They get our hearts, then turn us off— They cause all kinds of trouble."

"Some truth in that, Fate," Fent replied; "'Tis that way as a rule; But Chat had been alive and safe, If he'd had Driver's mule."

"And Chat was such a jolly boy; We'll miss him so," sighed Dave; "Poor fellow! I'll never meet again, On this side of the grave."

"Come, don't be so despondent, boys; You see," Sam Walker said, "No signs of blood upon this shoe: I don't think Chat is dead."

"It might have been," continued Sam, "As Chat was riding through A wolf leaped up and caught his foot, And thus pulled his shoe."

They then moved on—Sam went in front, Each mounted on his beast; They saw too, signs of coming day— Red streaks far in the east."

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"'Twill soon be daylight, boys," said Sam; "I'm glad of it." Sam gave The shoe to Fate, and he to Fent; Fent handed it to Dave.

"Poor Laura shall possess this shoe," Said Dave, overcome with gloom; "Can use it for a waste basket, And keep it in her room."

"What's that, boys?" interrupted Fent; "Look Dave on the ground— 'Tis some wild beast—panther or bear— Too large for any hand!"

Although the light was yet quite dim, The "boys" could plainly see The huge wild beast, "A panther, Dave By grab!" cried Johnny Dee,

"It seems to follow old Jude's tracks," Said Sam; look, Johnny Dee— That panther's on the trail of Chat— 'Tis plain enough to me."

"Now we will follow on its trail," continued Walker; "See! 'Tis stopped, sure as the world goes round— 'Tis climbing yonder tree!"

"Now have your guns all ready, boys!— Be sure to see to that— Look, what is that out on that limb? Sure as the world 'tis Chat!"

"Gee whillikens!" said Johnny Dee; "Jerusalem!" cried Fate; "Great heaven!" said Dave; "Gee whizz!" cried Fent, "I fear we are too late!"

"Don't get excited, boys, said Sam, Or nervous in the least— Our only chance to save Chat's life, Will be to kill that beast!"

"Twas only a few yards ahead; The 'boys' could plainly see The savage beast look up at Chat, Then climb on up the tree!"

"No time to lose, boys," Sam exclaimed; "This is our only show To save his life—take steady aim!— Twont do to miss, you know!"

"Be careful how you aim!" cried Chat; "Fent, you and Johnny Dee, And Fate aim squarely at the beast— For I'm up in this tree!"

Five simultaneous shots were fired, With but a single sound— And then the huge ferocious beast Lay dead upon the ground."

"Well done! He's deader than a nail!" Cried Chat, from up the tree. "How are you, Dave, and Fent and Fate,"

And Sam, and Johnny Dee?" "Why hello, Chat that you, my boys?" Said Dave; "how'd you do? And why is it you only have One patent leather shoe?"

"Why is it you're out here at all? How came you in this tree? Why stay in Panther Hollow, Chat, All night?" asked Johnny Dee,

"And why," said Fent, "did you not meet me at the swimming hole? I waited there till eight o'clock With Carrie—dear, sweet soul!"

"And why is it you did not go Out to the church?" asked Fate, "We head up services for you Until 'twas half past eight."

"These questions, gentlemen," said Chat, "Are fair ones, as rule; The answer is, I rode old Jude, Instead of Driver's mule."

"If I had ridden Driver's mule, I'd gone by Wildcat Hill, Thence on the road from Bears Retreat, Down by the water mill."

"I'd gone then to the miller's house For Laura—bless her soul!— Then met with Fent and Carrie Lee, Down at the swimming hole."

"And then we'd gone on to the church, I with my lovely Laura, And now I'd been a married man— A benedict—like Corry."

"If you had taken my advice," Said Fent—"good, as a rule— Instead of riding tricky Jude, You'd mounted Driver's mule."

"Wall, why don't you get down from there? Why stay up in the tree? Have you not set there long enough, For once?" said Johnny Dee.

"Or course—but drive those dogs away; Else how can I jump down? They'd take me for a catamount!" Chat answered, with a frown.

Fate made his cur dog leave the tree, Dave drove off every hound, Then Chat, with great dexterity, Swung off on to the ground."

"The panther's dead, the wolves are gone, The ghost does not appear, And I'm once more upon the ground, My Driver's mule is here!"

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Big lot of lime at Boyd's Salem.
Dr. T. H. Cossitt, Dentist, Marion.
Dr. Jordan, the dentist, of Marion.
Mr. S. Hodge, of Princeton, was in town Tuesday.
Buy your Boots from Pierce Yandell-Gugenheim Co.

Will not commence buying potatoes until Nov. 15.

Dr. Sam Frazier, of Blackford, was in town Monday.

Dr. Short, of Uniontown, was in Marion Monday.

Mr. Lewis Sasseen, of Caldwell county, was in town Monday.

Mr. J. R. Griffith, of Henderson, was in town the first of the week.

New capes—cheap.
Pierce-Yandell-Gugenheim Co.

Kittie Hodge, little daughter of H. A. Hodge, of this place, is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Felix Cox, and Miss Mary Cox, of Salem, were in town shopping Monday.

Don't bring any more peach seed. Will not take them.

Wm Whitehead, of Union county, was examined by the pension board at this place yesterday.

Get your Clothing from Pierce-Yandell-Gugenheim Co.

Mrs. Emma Herr, a Lexington woman, is a candidate for enrolling clerk of the State Senate.

Meers Davidson and Pickens, both most excellent gentlemen for the place, want the deputy wardenship.

If you want the best laundry work give your goods to Ed Doss. He calls at your house for it, and will return when done.

Misses Kate Markey and Lou Phillips, of Hampton, were guests of friends in Marion, Friday and Saturday.

John D. Gregory is not an applicant for deputy warden of the Eddyville penitentiary. He wants to be a guard, and would make a good one.

Jas. P. Martin has been appointed constable for Hurricane precinct. He qualified with Hodge Murphy, J. A. Hamilton, G. J. Hamilton, U. H. Threlkeld and M. M. Taber as sureties.

Meers H. C. Walker, of Marion, and I. H. Clement, of Tolu, have been appointed arbitrators, by Marion station and Tolu circuit, to divide the parsonage property, located at this place.

I have a fine thoroughbred Berkshire male hog for sale. Would also exchange a desirable building lot for work mules.

R. N. Walker, Marion, Ky.

Mr. A. Dean finished sowing wheat Saturday. This is considered late but wheat that was sown early has grown but little, and until the recent rain looked very sickly. With a little warm weather the late sown will soon overtake the early.

Meers A. A. Deboe, M. H. Weldon, and O. T. Hodge served as jury commissioners at this term of court, Wednesday they put the names of 500 men eligible as jurors in the wheel. From these will be drawn the jurors for the circuit court for the next twelve months.

F. M. Cruce and family reached Ottenden last week after a five-year sojourn in Kansas, and their many friends here were glad to greet them again. If he can find a place to suit him, Mr. Cruce will settle down in Kentucky again with a determination to spend the rest of his days with us. The Press hopes he will find a place that meets his requirements, and that his days be lengthened beyond the three score and ten.

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Our old friend Frank Loyd, of Caldwell county, came in to console us as best he could last week. He was so thoroughly wreathed in smiles and filled with jollity, that his merriment can penetrate the gloom of any sick Democrat.

Mr. Chas Daniel finished gathering his crop of corn Saturday. He had 93 acres on a river-bottom farm, and gathered 5500 bushels.

Rev. J. G. Haynes and family of Murphyboro, Ill., have been guests of friends in this county several days.

J. W. M. Babb son of John Babb, died at his home in Caldwell county, near the Crittenden county line, last Thursday.

A little child of Mr. Nickell, who lives on E. R. Hill's farm, died a few

THE MASONIC BUILDING.

Marion's First Three Story House.

The contractors are at work with a vim on the new Masonic building, and if the weather is propitious it will not be long before a handsome three story building will adorn the corner recently denuded by fire.

Mr. Chas. J. Burget drew the plans for the new house, and when his skilled hand begins work something handsome and substantial is sure to be evolved, and this last work of his is no exception to the rule. The first story of the building will be 84 feet long, and 14 feet from floor to ceiling and the width including the walls is 26 feet. This will be a business room, and the second story will be of same dimensions as the first except, will be only ten feet from floor to ceiling; this room will be used in connection with the first story for business purposes. The third story will be the home of Bigham Lodge No. 256 E. & A. M., on this floor there will be two rooms besides a ten foot hall. The lodge room proper will be 40 feet long, and adjoining this will be the banquet hall, 35 feet long; and from floor to ceiling will be 13 feet. The building will have vestibule, galvanized iron front. The entrance to the lodge will be steps leading up from Bellville street. The foundation to the top of the first row of joist will be three feet wide, the walls from thence to the top of the second story will be 18 inches from there up 13 inches. The lodge room will be ventilated by 18 windows; seven on South side, eight on the North and three in front. The brick work will be done by Wm. Turk, of Terre Haute, Ind., and old and skilled contractor, who is well known in Marion, having done work here before.

The wood work has been let to Mr. G. E. Boston, the well known contractor and builder of this place, who pushes the business his hands find to do, and who is a thorough master of his calling. This will be the first three story building Marion has ever had, and we are already looking forward to its completion with no small degree of pride.

Just before that body adjourned yesterday, the Press called upon the grand jury, and proceeded to interview the gentlemen composing it, touching their age, religious and political proclivities, and here is the result:

G. W. Boaz—77 years old, Baptist, Democrat.

W. I. Stewart—58 years old, Cumberland Presbyterian, Republican.

J. R. Cook—41 years old, not a church member, Democrat.

Daniel Riley—54 years old, Republican, Baptist.

T. J. Davidson, 36 years, Republican, Baptist.

D. R. Brown—46 years, Populist, not a church member.

A. H. Croft—35 years, Republican, Baptist.

L. W. Cruce, 34 years, Democrat, Methodist.

Sherman Woodall, 31 years old, Republican, Baptist.

S. A. Frazier—54 years old, Republican, Methodist.

S. A. Nunn—58 years old, Democrat, Methodist.

Rochester Wallingford, a young man of this place, has been the means of getting some six or eight persons into trouble. Rochester seems to have a big thirst for liquor, and has been pronounced an inebriate. He manages now and then to get some one to get him liquor, he then gets intoxicated, and is soon whirled into court and compelled to tell who supplied him. Then the unfortunate individual who has administered to Rochester's thirst is fined \$50.00 for furnishing liquor to an inebriate. Already two negroes are paying fines in jail for this offense, and Tuesday, the third Tell Pippin, was fined \$50. Several white men have also been in court for the same offense.

Saturday Jailer Hard was called upon by Mr. G. T. Garrett and reminded of ante-election promise. Mr. Hard, in a jaking way said to Mr. Garrett, "if you will help me, and I am elected Jailer, when you get ready to take unto yourself a wife. I will pay for the license." Saturday Garrett said: "I am ready now, come on and fulfill your promise."—It is needless to say the promise was kept.

Our old friend Frank Loyd, of Caldwell county, came in to console us as best he could last week. He was so thoroughly wreathed in smiles and filled with jollity, that his merriment can penetrate the gloom of any sick Democrat.

Mr. Chas Daniel finished gathering his crop of corn Saturday. He had 93 acres on a river-bottom farm, and gathered 5500 bushels.

Rev. J. G. Haynes and family of Murphyboro, Ill., have been guests of friends in this county several days.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

Wiley Leeper Fined \$100 and Fifty Days Hard Work.

OTHER MATTERS DISPOSED OF.

The following commonwealth cases were dismissed for want of sufficient evidence to convict:

J. W. Sliger, forger; Jos Rushing, concealed weapons; Chas Ballard, furnishing liquor to a minor; Rufus Underdown, injuring property.

The following persons were acquitted by verdict of the jury:

Albert Debo, charged with breaking into depot at Craynoville; Collin Pierce, charged with assault and battery.

The case against G. W. Rose and others, charged with breaking into warehouse at Tolu, was continued by the commonwealth.

The case against Jas Fritts and Hugh Norris, charged with confederating, etc., was continued by the defense. The court appointed attorney J. G. Rochester to defend Norris, who was unable to employ counsel.

Walter Knoche was fined \$50 for furnishing liquor to a minor. Ingram Stallion submitted his case to the court and was fined \$5.00 for a breach of the peace.

The grand jury found a bill against Wiley Leeper. The negro confined in jail upon charge of detaining a woman. It appearing that he could not be convicted upon that charge, the case was dismissed and re-submitted to the grand jury, and an indictment returned charging him with a breach of the peace. He was tried on this charge and fined \$100 and given 50 days in jail, coupled with hard labor.

Robt Jackson Jones was brought into court, and testimony heard as to his condition. The jury rendered a verdict to the effect that he is a pauper idiot.

Judie Collins was granted a divorce from her husband and she was granted custody of her child. Dan H. Graham vs J. B. Towery, judgement for plaintiff for \$275.25.

In the cases vs the Marion Elgin Butter and Cheese Co., the property was ordered sold.

W. J. Pully vs J. W. Sliger, judgement for plaintiff in sum of \$300.

W. H. Mays vs S. A. Woodall, judgement for plaintiff in sum of \$106.

T. M. Hammock vs Annie E. Hammock, divorce granted plaintiff.

J. S. Buckner vs Mary D. Henson, stricken from docket by plaintiff.

A. M. Baldwin vs W. S. Crowell, dismissed.

Ragon Bros, vs T. M. Hamilton, dismissed, settled.

W. H. Crow vs John S. James, verdict for defendant.

J. T. S. Brown & Son vs T. J. Graves stricken from docket.

Cynthia Ford vs G. K. Ford, verdict for defendant.

E. C. Moore vs T. L. and B. Henry, judgement for plaintiff for \$122.20.

Helen Miller vs Hugh Barnett and others, verdict for plaintiff for \$300.

Wm Fowler vs R. L. Easley and C. W. Taylor, judgement for plaintiff for \$75.

B. S. Rhea & Son vs J. P. Reed dismissed, settled.

A. J. Hill vs J. N. Truitt, dismissed, settled.

W. P. Dyer vs John T. Lamb, judgement for plaintiff for \$85.

Horry LaRue vs J. P. Martin and G. J. Hamilton, judgement for plaintiff for \$115.

Brooks Brasher vs M. C. O'Hara, judgement for plaintiff for \$65.

Helen Miller vs R. A. Moore and others, judgement for plaintiff for \$1000.

Aix Woody vs J. M. Carney, judgement for plaintiff.

W. P. Dyer vs W. N. Cain and G. L. Rankin, judgement for plaintiff for \$73.

G. E. Towery vs E. L. East, verdict for plaintiff for \$65.

The court reduced the bonds of Lewis Windsor and Wes Hall to \$100 each; they executed bond and were released from jail.

The grand jury visited the jail and reported that the institution was in good shape.

The grand jury returned 18 indictments, as follows:

Petty larceny, 2,
Malicious cutting 1,
Malicious shooting 1,
Disturbing worship 4,
Disturbing lawful assembly 1,
Peddling without license, 1,
Trespass 2,
Breach of peace 3,
Violating sabbath 1,
Furnishing liquor to minor 1,
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Church Matters.

Rev. W. H. Mi'oy returned from Hopkinsville Monday; after spending two weeks in a meeting there. He will fill his appointments at this place Sunday, and next week he, with Rev. Jos. Hopper, will begin a protracted meeting at Mounds.

The Methodists held their quarterly meeting at this place Saturday and Sunday, and at Hill's Chapel Monday and Tuesday. The people of this place were very much pleased with the new presiding elder and his preaching. His discourse Sunday was along practical lines; he says the evils of the age can be eliminated only by the gospel; that men's conscience must be quickened by the truth of God. The war between capital and labor will be easily adjusted, when the gospel is enthroned upon the heart of the capitalist and the laborer; when Christ is in their hearts, the burning, overpowering desire for gain will give way, and they will appreciate the brotherhood of man. Legislation can not accomplish this task, it is the work of the church, and the church that realizes this, and adjusts itself to the needs and demands of the times is the one that God will prosper. So with the other evils that threaten our country, the church must quicken the consciences of men and when this is done they will rise up in their might and demand and secure laws that meet the wants of the age.

County Court News.

G. T. Belt qualified as guardian for John M. Belt. H. A. Belt qualified as guardian of W. E. Belt.

Joo. T. Franks allowed \$7.55 for money paid out for repairing court house, J. H. Orme allowed \$20.46 for paper for the court room.

W. H. Cardin and W. B. Binkley appointed viewers to report on change in road proposed by F. M. Clement.

L. H. Fritts allowed \$3.25 for house in which to hold election.

John Duffy was appointed road overseer in place of Wyatt L. Hunt.

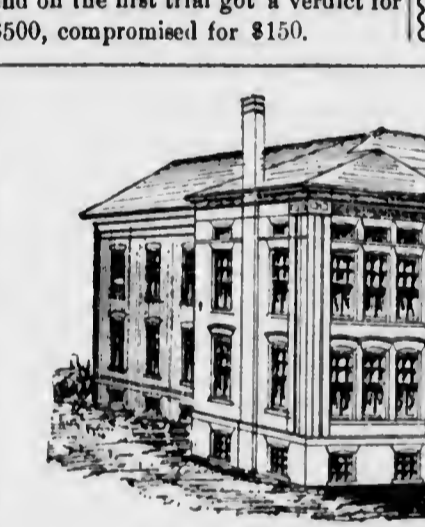
Handle Your Tobacco Well.

The farmers who take pains in handling their tobacco this year, are the ones who will get the best prices. There will evidently be a disposition among the buyers to look after the good grades, and let the inferior take care of themselves. When stripping take great care to get the damaged separated from the good, and get every particle of frosted out. We have yet to find a single buyer who will take frosted at any price, and they will be slow to bid on a crop that has any frosted mixed with it.

Miss Addie Tate, who sued the Owensboro Messenger for slander and on the first trial got a verdict for \$500, compromised for \$150.

Extra Coffee.
At A. F. Griffith's.

I AM PAYING CASH FOR EGGS.
Leave your orders for Fresh Oysters, Turkeys, Cranberries, Etc with us.
A. F. GRIFFITH.



THE STURGIS ACADEMY.

Through the kindness of the Sturgis Ledger we are permitted to give our readers a view of the splendid new school building at Sturgis. The building belongs to the Ohio Valley Baptist Association and the school will be operated under the auspices of that organization. Rev. Ivan Wise, of Princeton, is president; Prof. Saxe D. Averitt, principal, and Miss Ida Grogan, assistant. The construction of the house was commenced in June, and completed a few weeks ago. The Association and Sturgis are to be congratulated upon the acquisition of the splendid building, and the promising school.

We are in receipt of a letter from Mr. Jos. Mason, of Cave-in-Rock, Ill., expressing himself concerning the necessity of a railroad from Marion via Cave-in-Rock to some point on the Cairo short line. Mr. Mason makes out a good case and says the people on his side of what used to be the Ohio river are not only willing but anxious to assist in building a road. The letter has been referred to some gentlemen, who are now, and have been for some time, endeavoring to interest some capitalists in the enterprise, and we hope it will bear fruit. The failure of the river has thoroughly impressed the people who have heretofore depended upon it, with the necessity of a more reliable means of transportation.

Hyland L. Skinner, of St. Louis, who was pardoned out of the Eddyville penitentiary about a month ago, will be married to-morrow to Miss Allie Bet Curry, daughter of Capt. C. L. Curry, Warden of the penitentiary at Eddyville. Mr. Skinner has long been one of the best families of Lyon county. He was sent to the penitentiary in 1892 for seven years for killing Martin Bigwood. He did service as book-keeper while in prison. Mr. Skinner will make his home in St. Louis in the future.—Kentuckian

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Marriage License.

Marriage license have been issued to: Lenard R. Riley and Miss Mary Eller Riley.

Jas. C. Lynch and Miss Jerdie Collins.

Ed. D. Cruce and Miss Sarah McDonald.

Geo. T. Garrett and Miss Mary E. Lynch.

Mathew R. Deboe and Miss Maud Jacobs.

John W. Corn and Miss Sarah Ellen Capes.

John A. Fritts and Miss Bell Long.

Loaded shells, shot and powder, and guns to sell or rent.

Cochran & Baker.

Our dress goods are immense, and too cheap.

Pierce-Yandell-Gugenheim Co.

The Darlington, Wic., Journal say editorially of a popular patent medicine: "We know from experience that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is all that is claimed for it, as on two occasions it stopped excruciating pains and possibly saved us from an untimely grave. We would not rest easy over night without it in the house." This remedy undoubtedly saves more pain and suffering than any other medicine in the world. Every family should keep it in the house, for it is sure to be needed sooner or later. For sale by J. H.

Politics and Politicians.

Chicago is promised the National Republican Convention if she will put up \$54,000 and guarantee to pay the working expenses of the convention.

Senator Harris of Tennessee is reviewing the outlook for the Democratic party in 1896 say's the only hope is in securing a plain, distinct and unmistakable declaration in favor of both silver and gold without regard to the financial policies of any other country.

Governor-elect Bradley attended the Atlanta exposition last week and was prominently received.

Senator Quay says Maryland and Kentucky will surely go Democratic next year.

Hon. Al. S. Berry Congressman from Carlisle's old district was chosen orator of the occasion on Kentucky day at the Atlanta fair. The lady managers heard that he had taken a drink of whisky while presiding at the last Democratic State Convention, and they objected to him as orator and he declined the honor.

Tax Supervisors.

The county court has appointed R. N. Walker, J. A. Yandell, A. J. Bobout, A. D. McFee and Sam Frazier, tax supervisors for the year 1896. This board will meet on the first Monday in January, to supervise the list now being made by the county assessors.

A. P. A.

An A. P. A., lodge was organized at this place last week. How many people constitute the lodge and who they are we are unable to state. The chief work of the order seems to be to fight the Catholics and it is said that they are sworn to support no Catholic for office.

By giving stylish goods and full value for your money we hope to share your patronage.

Mrs. M. L. Barnes & Co.

We are now prepared to make Graham flour.

Clark, Kevill & Co.

Do you want a delicious cup of coffee, something out of the ordinary? If you do, get that

Extra Coffee.
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Leave your orders for Fresh Oysters, Turkeys, Cranberries, Etc with us.

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White Swan LAUNDRY.

Evansville, Ind.

is the best Laundry in the country. Every piece of work it does is first-class in every particular, and it does all kinds of work, every article from the finest lace curtains to the coarsest fabric.

Clothes, vests, pants, fine dresses, etc., cleaned and made as pretty as when new.

If you want the best work, see our agent.

ED. DOSS,

Marion, Ky.

He will call for your goods, and return them promptly. He sends to us every Tuesday evening. Save your goods for him. We are responsible for every article sent us, and we will see that it is returned to you.

Records Recorded.

S. F. Woodson to W. G. Henry 50 acres for \$500.

C. S. Nunn to Chas. Evans, house and lot for \$800.

M. S. Farmer to C. G. Wilson 159 acres for \$400.

WANTED.

Arbuckles Signatures.

I will pay \$1.00 per hundred for all sent me on or before Jan. 1, 1896.

If you have any, forward them by mail, and by return mail you will receive your pay.

W. L. KENNEDY, Loia, Ky.

All persons owing me on accounts, now matured or that may mature on or before Jan. 1, are hereby notified that if satisfactory settlement is not made, they will be placed in the hands of a collector and cost added.

J. M. Phillips.

FOR SALE.—A large mare, she is a splendid work animal, will sell on time, or will exchange for corn.

23-24 W. R. Gibbs.

CORN WANTED.

We will trade goods at cash prices for corn at market prices.

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Our prices on everything are keeping up with the times. See us before you buy, we will make you money.

Pierce & Son.

FARM FOR SALE.

104 acres 1 1/2 miles West of Marion; 84 acres cleared—good land. 25 acres of fresh land. For price and terms call on R. C. Walker.

Lola Distillery Whisky.

If you want good, pure whisky for Xmas, you must buy it before Dec. 2, '95. That is our last day to sell. If you have not money to buy with, bring us corn, we will pay 25c for it, and sell you whisky at cash prices. All who owe us will please settle before the above date.

LOLA DIST. CO.

SALE NOTICE.

On Thursday Nov. 28, 1

